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Re: U.S. Patent Application for Vehicular Child Safety Seat"
Inventor: Rodney Edward Thomas
Attorney Docket No. A310937.0US

Dear Sir:

Enclosed are:

1. Cover letter, which includes certificate of mailing by Express Mail;
2. Amendment and Response (8 pages); and
3. Firm return receipt post card

Respectfully submitted,


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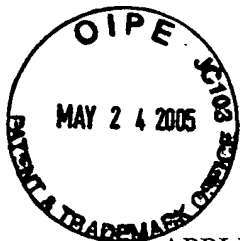
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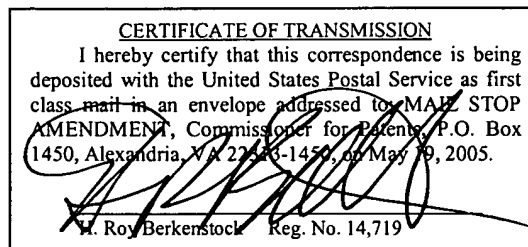
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Dear Commissioner:

This Amendment and Response is being filed in reply the Office Action dated April 19, 2005 requiring restriction of the claims on file to one group, as identified by the Examiner. Although no fee is believed to be due for entrance of this Amendment and Response, please charge any fee deemed necessary for entrance of this correspondence to Deposit Account #502346.

A summary of this correspondence is as follows. In response to the requirement of restriction of the claims to Group I (1 - 14), being drawn to a seat assembly, classified in class 297, subclass 255, and Group II (15 - 20) drawn to a method of using a seat assembly of a motor vehicle, Claims 14-20 are being withdrawn without prejudice and with right of reentry into this

or any other appropriate patent application. Accordingly, only Claims 1-14 will remain pending in the application after entry of this Amendment and Response.